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In re US Patent Application of: )  
Ronald D. Blum et al. )  
Application No.: 10/627,828 ) Group Art Unit: 2873  
Filing Date: July 25, 2003 ) Examiner: Jordan Marc SCHWARTZ  
Title: SYSTEM, APPARATUS AND )  
METHOD FOR CORRECTING )  
VISION USING AN ELECTRO- )  
ACTIVE LENS )

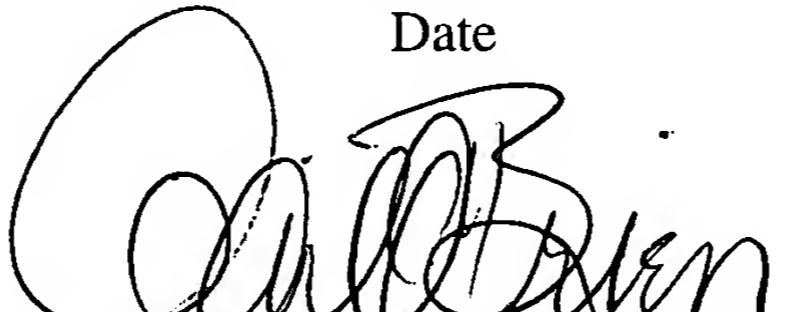
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USING AN ELECTRO-ACTIVE LENS

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Enclosed is an Amendment/Response to the Office Action Dated September 7, 2004 under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 for the above-identified patent application.

A petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

Also enclosed is \_\_\_\_\_.

A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.

No additional claim fee is required.

An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

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Independent Claims	16	Minus 16 =	0	x \$86.00 =	
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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION**  
**DATED SEPTEMBER 7, 2004 UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

The present communication is responsive to an Office Action dated September 7, 2004 in the above-captioned application (the "Application"). Reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.